

produced in this country, as well as 9.5 cents per nickel.

The content of a penny, as it exists now, is roughly 97½ percent zinc, with the balance copper. The content of a nickel is roughly 25 percent nickel and 75 percent copper. And during the last 5 years, we've seen huge increases in the price of copper, nickel and zinc. As Subcommittee Chairman GUTIERREZ indicated, that is attributable to excess demand throughout the world on those metals, along with speculation in the market. This legislation is designed with an eye toward common sense to save, again, roughly \$100 million per year over the next 10 years.

Wasteful spending is especially egregious at a time when Americans are facing the pitfalls of an economic downturn. This legislation will begin the process of eliminating this wasteful spending by mandating changes in the content of the penny and the nickel and giving the Treasury a louder voice in the process.

Based on production numbers, again I want to emphasize these changes will save taxpayers \$1 billion over the next 10 years. The legislation will also help Congress be more responsive to market changes in the value of different metals over time, helping it to be more efficient and precise in its expenditures.

The savings can be spent to put money into our schools, improve our infrastructure, increase access to health care, all the things that many Americans—certainly Americans I represent back in Ohio's 18th District—desperately need.

As a Congress, we have a responsibility to use our funds in a responsible fashion. This legislation is a step toward more responsible spending and represents a bipartisan effort to work together on a measure that encompasses a high degree of common sense. Refreshing.

Mr. GUTIERREZ. I congratulate the gentleman from Ohio on that wonderful speech.

Mr. ROSKAM. Madam Speaker, I yield back the balance of my time.

Mr. GUTIERREZ. I yield back the balance of my time.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. GUTIERREZ) that the House suspend the rules and pass the bill, H.R. 5512, as amended.

The question was taken.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. In the opinion of the Chair, two-thirds being in the affirmative, the ayes have it.

Mr. CARTER. Madam Speaker, I object to the vote on the ground that a quorum is not present and make the point of order that a quorum is not present.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX and the Chair's prior announcement, further proceedings on this motion will be postponed.

The point of no quorum is considered withdrawn.

MOTION TO ADJOURN

Mr. CARTER. Madam Speaker, I move that the House do now adjourn.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to adjourn offered by the gentleman from Texas.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the noes appeared to have it.

Mr. CARTER. Madam Speaker, on that I demand the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays were ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to clause 8 of rule XX, this 15-minute vote on the motion to adjourn will be followed by 5-minute votes on motions to suspend the rules on House Resolution 1168, and House Resolution 1155.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—yeas 149, nays 236, not voting 47, as follows:

[Roll No. 262]

YEAS—149

Aderholt	Forbes	Paul
Akin	Fox	Pearce
Alexander	Franks (AZ)	Pence
Bachmann	Frelinghuysen	Petri
Barrett (SC)	Gallegly	Pickering
Bartlett (MD)	Garrett (NJ)	Pitts
Barton (TX)	Gingrey	Price (GA)
Biggert	Goode	Putnam
Bilbray	Goodlatte	Radanovich
Bishop (UT)	Granger	Regula
Blackburn	Hall (TX)	Rehberg
Blunt	Hastings (WA)	Reichert
Boehner	Hayes	Renzi
Bonner	Heller	Reynolds
Bono Mack	Hensarling	Rogers (AL)
Boozman	Herger	Rogers (KY)
Boustany	Hobson	Rohrabacher
Broun (GA)	Hunter	Roskam
Brown-Waite,	Inglis (SC)	Royce
Ginny	Issa	Ryan (WI)
Buchanan	Johnson (IL)	Saxton
Buyer	Keller	Schmidt
Calvert	King (IA)	Sensenbrenner
Camp (MI)	King (NY)	Sessions
Cannon	Kline (MN)	Shadegg
Cantor	Knollenberg	Shays
Carter	LaHood	Shimkus
Castle	Lamborn	Shuster
Chabot	Latham	Simpson
Clay	LaTourette	Smith (NE)
Coble	Latta	Smith (TX)
Cole (OK)	Lewis (CA)	Souder
Crenshaw	Lewis (KY)	Stearns
Cubin	Linder	Sullivan
Culberson	Lucas	Tancredo
Davis (KY)	Lungren, Daniel	Taylor
Davis, David	E.	Thornberry
Davis, Tom	Mack	Turner
Deal (GA)	Marchant	Upton
Diaz-Balart, L.	McCarthy (CA)	Walden (OR)
Diaz-Balart, M.	McCrery	Walsh (NY)
Drake	McHugh	Wamp
Dreier	McKeon	Westmoreland
Duncan	McMorris	Whitfield (KY)
Emerson	Rodgers	Wilson (NM)
English (PA)	Miller (FL)	Wilson (SC)
Everett	Miller, Gary	Wittman (VA)
Fallin	Musgrave	Wolf
Feeney	Myrick	Young (AK)
Ferguson	Neugebauer	Young (FL)
Flake	Nunes	

NAYS—236

Abercrombie	Bishop (NY)	Cardoza
Ackerman	Blumenauer	Carnahan
Allen	Boren	Carney
Altmire	Boswell	Castor
Arcuri	Boucher	Cazayoux
Baca	Boyd (FL)	Chandler
Baldwin	Boyd (KS)	Clarke
Barrow	Brady (PA)	Cleaver
Bean	Brady (TX)	Clyburn
Becerra	Brown (SC)	Cohen
Berkley	Brown, Corrine	Conyers
Berman	Burgess	Cooper
Bilirakis	Capps	Costello
Bishop (GA)	Capuano	Courtney

Cramer	Kennedy	Rahall
Crowley	Kildee	Ramstad
Cuellar	Kilpatrick	Rangel
Davis (AL)	Kind	Reyes
Davis (CA)	Kingston	Richardson
Davis (IL)	Kirk	Rodriguez
Davis, Lincoln	Klein (FL)	Rogers (MI)
DeFazio	Kucinich	Ros-Lehtinen
DeGette	Kuhl (NY)	Rothman
Delahunt	Lampson	Roybal-Allard
DeLauro	Larsen (WA)	Ryan (OH)
Dent	Larson (CT)	Salazar
Dingell	Lee	Sali
Doggett	Levin	Sanchez, Linda
Donnelly	Lewis (GA)	T.
Doyle	Lipinski	Sanchez, Loretta
Ehlers	LoBiondo	Sarbanes
Ellison	Loebach	Schakowsky
Ellsworth	Lofgren, Zoe	Schiff
Emanuel	Lowey	Schwartz
Engel	Lynch	Scott (GA)
Eshoo	Mahoney (FL)	Scott (VA)
Etheridge	Maloney (NY)	Serrano
Farr	Manzullo	Sestak
Fattah	Markey	Shea-Porter
Filner	Marshall	Sherman
Fortenberry	Matheson	Shuler
Fossella	Matsui	Sires
Foster	McCarthy (NY)	Skelton
Frank (MA)	McCollum (MN)	Slaughter
Gerlach	McCotter	Smith (NJ)
Giffords	McGovern	Smith (WA)
Gillibrand	McIntyre	Solis
Gonzalez	McNulty	Space
Graves	Meek (FL)	Stark
Green, Al	Melancon	Stupak
Green, Gene	Mica	Sutton
Grijalva	Michaud	Tanner
Hall (NY)	Miller (MI)	Tauscher
Hare	Miller, George	Terry
Harman	Mitchell	Thompson (CA)
Hastings (FL)	Mollohan	Thompson (MS)
Hersteth Sandlin	Moore (KS)	Tiahrt
Higgins	Moore (WI)	Tiberi
Hill	Moran (KS)	Tierney
Hinche	Moran (VA)	Towns
Hinojosa	Murphy (CT)	Tsongas
Hirono	Murphy, Patrick	Udall (CO)
Hodes	Murtha	Van Hollen
Hoekstra	Nadler	Velázquez
Holden	Napolitano	Visclosky
Holt	Neal (MA)	Walberg
Honda	Obey	Walsh (MN)
Hoyer	Olver	Wasserman
Inslee	Ortiz	Schultz
Israel	Pallone	Waters
Jackson (IL)	Pascrell	Watson
Jackson-Lee	Pastor	Waxman
(TX)	Payne	Welch (VT)
Jefferson	Perlmutter	Wexler
Johnson (GA)	Peterson (MN)	Wilson (OH)
Johnson, E. B.	Platts	Woolsey
Jordan	Poe	Wu
Kagen	Pomeroy	Wynn
Kanjorski	Porter	Yarmuth
Kaptur	Price (NC)	

NOT VOTING—47

Andrews	Gilchrest	Murphy, Tim
Bachus	Gohmert	Oberstar
Baird	Gordon	Peterson (PA)
Berry	Gutierrez	Pryce (OH)
Braley (IA)	Hooley	Ross
Burton (IN)	Hulshof	Ruppersberger
Butterfield	Johnson, Sam	Rush
Campbell (CA)	Jones (NC)	Snyder
Capito	Jones (OH)	Speier
Carson	Langevin	Spratt
Conaway	McCaul (TX)	Udall (NM)
Costa	McDermott	Watt
Cummings	McHenry	Weiner
Dicks	McNerney	Weldon (FL)
Doolittle	Meeks (NY)	Weller
Edwards	Miller (NC)	

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Less than 2 minutes are remaining.

□ 1900

Messrs. COHEN, ELLSWORTH, ACKERMAN, WAXMAN, Ms. VELÁZQUEZ and Ms. CLARKE changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida changed her vote from “nay” to “yea.”

So the motion to adjourn was rejected.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mr. BRALEY. of Iowa. Madam Speaker, on rollcall No. 261 and had I been present, I would have voted “no.”

CONGRATULATING CHARTER SCHOOLS

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The unfinished business is the question on suspending the rules and agreeing to the resolution, H. Res. 1168, as amended.

The Clerk read the title of the resolution.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion offered by the gentleman from Massachusetts (Mr. TIERNEY) that the House suspend the rules and agree to the resolution, H. Res. 1168, as amended.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. CARTER. Madam Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 391, noes 2, answered “present” 1, not voting 38, as follows:

[Roll No. 263]

AYES—391

Abercrombie	Brady (TX)	Cuellar
Ackerman	Braley (IA)	Culberson
Aderholt	Broun (GA)	Davis (AL)
Akin	Brown (SC)	Davis (CA)
Alexander	Brown, Corrine	Davis (IL)
Allen	Brown-Waite,	Davis (KY)
Altmire	Ginny	Davis, David
Arcuri	Buchanan	Davis, Lincoln
Baca	Burgess	Davis, Tom
Bachmann	Buyer	Deal (GA)
Baldwin	Calvert	DeFazio
Barrett (SC)	Camp (MI)	DeGette
Barrow	Cannon	Delahunt
Bartlett (MD)	Cantor	DeLauro
Barton (TX)	Capito	Dent
Bean	Capps	Diaz-Balart, L.
Becerra	Capuano	Diaz-Balart, M.
Berkley	Cardoza	Dingell
Berman	Carnahan	Doggett
Berry	Carney	Donnelly
Biggert	Carter	Doyle
Bilbray	Castle	Drake
Billirakis	Castor	Dreier
Bishop (GA)	Cazayoux	Duncan
Bishop (NY)	Chabot	Edwards
Bishop (UT)	Chandler	Ehlers
Blackburn	Clarke	Ellison
Blumenauer	Clay	Ellsworth
Blunt	Cleaver	Emanuel
Boehner	Clyburn	Emerson
Bonner	Cohen	Engel
Bono Mack	Conyers	English (PA)
Boozman	Cooper	Eshoo
Boren	Costa	Etheridge
Boswell	Costello	Everett
Boucher	Courtney	Fallin
Boustany	Cramer	Farr
Boyd (FL)	Crenshaw	Fattah
Boyd (KS)	Crowley	Feeney
Brady (PA)	Cubin	Ferguson

Filner	Loeb sack	Rothman
Flake	Lowey	Roybal-Allard
Forbes	Lucas	Royce
Fortenberry	Lungren, Daniel	Ruppersberger
Fossella	E.	Ryan (OH)
Foster	Lynch	Ryan (WI)
Fox	Mack	Salazar
Fox	Mahoney (FL)	Sali
Frank (MA)	Maloney (NY)	Sánchez, Linda
Franks (AZ)	Manzullo	T.
Frelinghuysen	Marchant	Sanchez, Loretta
Gallely	Markey	Sarbanes
Garrett (NJ)	Marshall	Schakowsky
Gerlach	Matheson	Schiff
Giffords	Matsui	Schmidt
Gillibrand	McCarthy (CA)	Schwartz
Gingrey	McCarthy (NY)	Scott (GA)
Gohmert	McCaul (TX)	Scott (VA)
Gonzalez	Goode	Sensenbrenner
Goo	McCollum (MN)	Serrano
Goodlatte	McCotter	Sessions
Gordon	McCrery	Sestak
Granger	McDermott	Shadegg
Graves	McGovern	Shays
Green, Al	McHugh	Shea-Porter
Green, Gene	McIntyre	Sherman
Grijalva	McKeon	Shimkus
Gutierrez	McNerney	Shuler
Hall (TX)	McNulty	Shuster
Hare	Meek (FL)	Simpson
Harman	Melancon	Sires
Hastings (FL)	Mica	Skelton
Hastings (WA)	Michaud	Slaughter
Hayes	Miller (FL)	Smith (NE)
Heller	Miller (MI)	Smith (NJ)
Hensarling	Miller, Gary	Smith (TX)
Herger	Miller, George	Smith (WA)
Herseth Sandlin	Mitchell	Solis
Higgins	Mollohan	Souder
Hill	Moore (KS)	Space
Hinojosa	Moore (WI)	Spratt
Hirono	Moran (KS)	Stark
Hobson	Moran (VA)	Stearns
Hodes	Murphy (CT)	Stupak
Hoekstra	Murphy, Patrick	Sullivan
Holden	Murphy, Tim	Sutton
Holt	Murtha	Tancredo
Honda	Musgrave	Tanner
Hoyer	Myrick	Tauscher
Hunter	Nadler	Taylor
Inglis (SC)	Napolitano	Terry
Inslie	Neal (MA)	Thompson (CA)
Israel	Neugebauer	Thompson (MS)
Issa	Nunes	Thornberry
Jackson (IL)	Obey	Tiaht
Jackson-Lee	Pallone	Tiberi
(TX)	Pascrell	Tierney
Jefferson	Pastor	Towns
Johnson (GA)	Paul	Tsongas
Johnson (IL)	Payne	Turner
Johnson, E. B.	Pearce	Udall (CO)
Jordan	Pence	Upton
Kagen	Perlmutter	Van Hollen
Kanjorski	Peterson (MN)	Velázquez
Kaptur	Petri	Visclosky
Kennedy	Pickering	Walberg
Kildee	Pitts	Walden (OR)
Kilpatrick	Platts	Walsh (NY)
Kind	Poe	Walz (MN)
King (IA)	Pomeroy	Wamp
King (NY)	Porter	Wasserman
Kingston	Price (GA)	Schultz
Kirk	Price (NC)	Waters
Klein (FL)	Putnam	Watson
Kline (MN)	Radanovich	Waxman
Knollenberg	Rahall	Welch (VT)
Kuhl (NY)	Ramstad	Weldon (FL)
LaHood	Rangel	Weller
Lamborn	Regula	Westmoreland
Langevin	Rehberg	Wexler
Larsen (WA)	Reichert	Whitfield (KY)
Larsen (CT)	Renzi	Wilson (NM)
Latham	Reyes	Wilson (OH)
LaTourette	Reynolds	Wilson (SC)
Latta	Richardson	Wittman (VA)
Lee	Rodriguez	Wolf
Levin	Rogers (AL)	Woolsey
Lewis (CA)	Rogers (KY)	Wu
Lewis (GA)	Rogers (MI)	Wynn
Lewis (KY)	Rohrabacher	Yarmuth
Linder	Ros-Lehtinen	Young (AK)
Lipinski	Roskam	Young (FL)
LoBiondo	Ross	

NOES—2

Hinchey

Kucinich

ANSWERED “PRESENT”—1

Hall (NY)

NOT VOTING—38

Andrews	Gilchrest	Miller (NC)
Bachus	Hooley	Oberstar
Baird	Hulshof	Oliver
Burton (IN)	Johnson, Sam	Ortiz
Butterfield	Jones (NC)	Peterson (PA)
Campbell (CA)	Jones (OH)	Pryce (OH)
Carson	Keller	Rush
Coble	Lampson	Saxton
Cole (OK)	Lofgren, Zoe	Snyder
Conaway	McHenry	Speier
Cummings	McMorris	Udall (NM)
Dicks	Rodgers	Watt
Doolittle	Meeks (NY)	Weiner

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (during the vote). Less than 2 minutes remain in this vote.

□ 1912

So (two-thirds being in the affirmative) the rules were suspended and the resolution, as amended, was agreed to.

The result of the vote was announced as above recorded.

Mr. CARTER. Madam Speaker, I move to reconsider the vote.

MOTION TO TABLE OFFERED BY MR. HASTINGS OF FLORIDA

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida. Madam Speaker, I move to table the motion to reconsider.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The question is on the motion to table.

The question was taken; and the Speaker pro tempore announced that the ayes appeared to have it.

RECORDED VOTE

Mr. CARTER. Madam Speaker, I demand a recorded vote.

A recorded vote was ordered.

The SPEAKER pro tempore. This will be a 5-minute vote.

The vote was taken by electronic device, and there were—ayes 215, noes 182, not voting 35, as follows:

[Roll No. 264]

AYES—215

Abercrombie	Costa	Hare
Ackerman	Costello	Harman
Allen	Courtney	Hastings (FL)
Altmire	Cramer	Herseth Sandlin
Arcuri	Crowley	Higgins
Baca	Cuellar	Hill
Baldwin	Davis (AL)	Hinche
Barrow	Davis (CA)	Hinojosa
Bean	Davis (IL)	Hirono
Becerra	Davis, Lincoln	Hodes
Berkley	DeFazio	Holden
Berman	DeGette	Holt
Berry	Delahunt	Honda
Bishop (GA)	DeLauro	Hoyer
Bishop (NY)	Dingell	Inslie
Blumenauer	Doggett	Israel
Boren	Donnelly	Jackson (IL)
Boswell	Doyle	Jackson-Lee
Boucher	Edwards	(TX)
Boyd (FL)	Ellison	Jefferson
Boyda (KS)	Ellsworth	Johnson (GA)
Brady (PA)	Emanuel	Johnson, E. B.
Braley (IA)	Engel	Kagen
Brown, Corrine	Eshoo	Kanjorski
Capps	Etheridge	Kaptur
Capuano	Farr	Kennedy
Cardoza	Fattah	Kildee
Carnahan	Filner	Kilpatrick
Carney	Foster	Kind
Castor	Frank (MA)	Klein (FL)
Cazayoux	Giffords	Kucinich
Chandler	Gillibrand	Lampson
Clarke	Gonzalez	Langevin
Clay	Gordon	Larsen (WA)
Cleaver	Green, Al	Larson (CT)
Clyburn	Green, Gene	Lee
Cohen	Grijalva	Levin
Conyers	Gutierrez	Lewis (GA)
Cooper	Hall (NY)	Lipinski